

TAKES NO ACTION IN HODGSON CASE

Board of Education Declines
to Reopen Matter.

UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS

Course of Ten Lectures to the People
Arranged for in Zion Baptist
Church.

The Board of Education will not interfere in the case of Reginald Hodgson, the second year class student in the Western High School, who was suspended and afterward reinstated by the school authorities for writing on the school grounds in full view of his class: "Roosevelt debased himself by eating with a nigger."

In spite of a strong effort on the part of Gen. H. V. Boynton, president of the board, at its regular weekly meeting last evening, the board refused to take any action. This was the first occasion on which the matter had been presented to the board.

General Boynton urged that the punishment should be more drastic than the suspension. A majority of the board, led by E. Southard Parker, held that the suspension had been sufficient.

Offer of Scholarships.

Three full scholarships in the classical or Latin-scientific course for four years, commencing in September of the present year, and also three half-scholarships in any of the technical courses, have been offered to the Central, Eastern, and Western high schools of the District by Lehigh University. They will be awarded to graduates of the highest standing.

The Washington and Lee University has also offered a scholarship to the most proficient graduate of the McKinley Manual Training School.

It was announced last night that a lecture would be given every week for the next ten weeks at the Zion Baptist Church, on F street, between Third and Fourth and a-half street southwest, which was last night designated by the board as a new "lecture center." On March 22 the Rev. U. G. B. Pierce will lecture on "The Night in the Nether World." On March 29 Charles F. Warren will speak on "Canada," and Dr. Howard L. Hodgkins will follow on April 5 with a lecture on "Light." The only other lecture so far announced is that on April 12, "Switzerland," by John Hitz.

E. A. Howard was appointed a teacher at a salary of \$500 per annum. L. I. Tolson was promoted from \$355 to \$550, vice E. M. Toler, deceased. B. B. O'Brien was promoted from \$500 to \$525 per annum, and A. L. Cornell was promoted from the first to the second grade of the Logan School, succeeding A. B. Coleman, who has been transferred to the second grade of the Cook School.

MR. WILLIAMS TO REST IN BETHESDA CEMETERY

The remains of John Clayton Williams, of Chevy Chase, who was killed by a train yesterday, will be interred in Bethesda Cemetery at 2 o'clock today.

The services will be held at Ottoburne, the deceased's country place. The Rev. P. P. Flournoy will conduct the services. Both the services and the funeral will be private.

Mrs. Williams, the widow, was yesterday nearly prostrated with grief, but is thought to be much improved today.

Much regret was experienced by all those living within a radius of several miles over Mr. Williams' untimely death.

THE GREATEST BATTLE ON EARTH

Now Being Waged Against Consumption.

The decrease in deaths from Consumption in Germany seems to coincide with the tremendous efforts made there during the last twenty-five years to stamp out the disease. The decrease since 1881 is 39 per cent. No progress was made against this dread disease until the germ that causes it was discovered.

The early symptoms of Consumption are often mistaken for those of other diseases. The patient is most frequently treated for malaria or dumb ague. Nineteenth of the lives lost by Consumption could be saved by an early and exact diagnosis. The discovery of the X-ray light and its use in connection with Consumption is the most important second step in fighting the disease. The disease properly diagnosed, the next important step is to treat it by the latest method—by sending the germicidal and healing oils directly into the lungs instead of taking medicines into the stomach.

Dr. Wright, the lung specialist, at his Institute, No. 223 13th st. n.w., uses his new X-light for examining the lungs and makes all diagnoses by means of X-ray light and its use in connection with Consumption is the most important second step in fighting the disease. The disease properly diagnosed, the next important step is to treat it by the latest method—by sending the germicidal and healing oils directly into the lungs instead of taking medicines into the stomach.

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Death Brings Release From Venezuelan Jail

Sad Fate of Young Man Who Took Up Arms
Against Castro—Mother Pleaded to Roosevelt to Intervene.

TRINIDAD, March 16.—Some weeks ago there was published an abstract of a letter which had been sent to President Roosevelt by a lady in Caracas complaining that her son had been imprisoned three years in the fortress of San Carlos without having had even the pretense of a trial on a charge of having taken arms against the government.

When the news reached Caracas it was suspected that a certain lady, Mme. Taylhardat, had written the letter. She had a son, Colonel Taylhardat, confined in San Carlos, and it was reported that his health had suffered greatly from the confinement and the hardships he had undergone.

Denied Authorship.

Mme. Taylhardat promptly denied that she had written President Roosevelt and stated she had reason to believe that her son would soon be released. It was whispered among the opponents of the government that she had been promised

the discharge of her son if she disproved her connection with an appeal to a foreign ruler.

The day after Mme. Taylhardat's denial appeared she was officially informed of the death of her son at San Carlos and his body was returned to the stricken mother.

Career of Dead Man.

Col. Leopoldo Augusto Taylhardat, the young man referred to, was born in Ciudad Bolivar, in 1878.

He entered the Venezuelan military school of artillery in 1896 and the same year was made a colonel by Gen. Joaquin Crespo.

He became chief of staff of artillery in 1899, and took up arms against the government.

He was captured and confined in the fortress of San Carlos about three years ago.

His companions bear testimony to his high character and to his many good qualities.

GORDOVA FOUND GUILTY OF ASSAULTING WIFE

Second Conviction of Eloping Parson in
New Jersey Court—May Serve
Four Years.

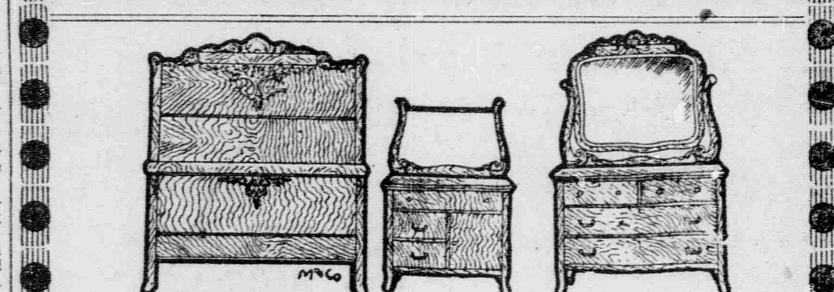
NEW BRUNSWICK, March 16.—J. Frank Cordova, the South River clergyman who twice eloped with Miss Julia Bowne, is likely to get a State prison sentence on the two convictions against him, one yesterday for deserting his family, and another today for assault upon Mrs. Cordova.

The jury which heard the first trial of the minister was six hours in finding him guilty. Today's jury brought in a verdict of guilty after thirty minutes' deliberation. It is thought that Judge Woodbridge Strong will sentence Cordova for not less than one year in State prison.

\$48.25 to California.

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CONSULTING BOARD ON PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Notified of his appointment as chairman of the Consulting Board, which in the future will pass upon the form and location of all new public buildings, Bernard R. Green, superintendent of the Library of Congress building and grounds, straightway set about ascertaining the addresses of his colleagues, Daniel H. Burnham, Charles F. McKim, Augustus Saint-Gaudens, and Frederick Law Olmsted, Jr. The addresses were forwarded to the Secretary of War, who, according to President Roosevelt's order, thrusting the board, will notify each member of his appointment, to learn whether he will accept the office.

As to any action the board may take in the future, Mr. Green says it would be governed entirely by circumstances. He characterized the President's selection of his colleagues on the board as the very best men in the country for such work. "Mr. Burnham and Mr. McKim are both eminent architects," said the chairman, "and Saint-Gaudens is probably the best known American sculptor, while Frederick Law Olmsted, Jr., the landscape artist, is a worthy successor to his father, Frederick Law Olmsted, whose handwork already stands for much that is beautiful in the Capital."

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Children's Suits that originally sold at \$3.00. **\$1.69**
Children's Suits that originally sold at \$4.00 and \$5.00. **\$2.45**
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One lot of Black Clay Diagonal Suits for Boys. Just suitable for confirmation; best in a d e clothing in America. Worth \$12.00 to \$10.00. **\$4.75**
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Have you seen the new Friedlander Negligee Shirts? Whites and fancies. All the noblest patterns. All well made and finished. **98c**

Men's Silk Suspenders, in neatly embroidered styles—now..... **39c**
New Spring Hose, in fancy designs; full regular made..... **23c**
A special new line of two quarter Hose—All per terms. Per pair..... **12c**
Tan Colored Merino Shirts, cuffs attached. Special..... **59c**
Special in underwear—gray, white, and derby ribbed—all..... **48c**
White Pleated Shirts; extra good grade. Special at..... **55c**

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A special line of spring Shoes, in oxford, tan, and black; also high cuts; new spring shapes—special at **\$1.98**

The famous Crossett Shoes, in all the leading styles and leathers. No better shoe made at **\$2.50 to \$4.00**

New Spring Shapes and Shades in Derby and Fedoras. **\$1.90**

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6 lbs. Prunes..... **25c**
4 lbs. Large Prunes..... **25c**
2 lbs. Largest Prunes..... **25c**
Seeded Raisins..... **75c**
Pigs, per pound..... **3c**
8c Apples..... **30c**
8 lbs. Starch..... **25c**
Forest City Soap..... **25c**
4 cans Tomato..... **25c**
4 cans Sweet Meadow Corn..... **25c**
4 cans Sifted Peas..... **25c**
Extra Sifted Peas, per can..... **10c**
Wilbur's Chocolate..... **10c**
Nelson's Chocolate..... **10c**
Wilbur's Cocoa, 2c; Nelson's..... **17c**
E. B. Coffee..... **15c**
25c pk Oats with china..... **15c**
Fig Bars..... **10c**
Extra heavy..... **25c**
Rice, 4c lb.; Hams..... **115c**
Macaroni, 5c; Large Catsup..... **75c**
Large Jar Mustard..... **75c**
2 lbs. Fruit Candy..... **125c**
5 lb. Boxes Fruit Candy..... **45c**

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Minister of Colombia Will Come Here Soon

Senor Diego Mendoza to Start From Bogota
for Washington Next Week—Country's
Outlook Is Peaceful.

BOGOTA, Colombia, via Galveston, Tex., March 16.—Senor Diego Mendoza will leave on March 20 for Washington as Colombian minister.

Vice President Gonzalez Valencia's patriotic resignation gives opportunity to President Neyes to carry out the peaceful and cordial political program of the recent assembly of governors.

The government has declared cigars, cigarettes and all kinds of liquors, skins, and matches to be sources of national income and has decided to control their manufacture accordingly.

Mr. Russell, United States minister, \$48.25 California, C. & O. Ry.

Low rates to designated points in West, March 1st to May 14th.

has inaugurated a series of official diplomatic and social dinners. The state of siege has been raised throughout the republic and complete amnesty has been given to political offenders, who will shortly all return home.

Fell on the Curb.

Suffering from a serious cut over his right eye, Albert G. Osgood, sixty-four years old, of Baltimore, Md., was taken to the Georgetown University Hospital. Police of the Seventh precinct who took him to the hospital say he fell on the sharp edge of the curb.

Baltimore and Return, \$1.25.
Via Pennsylvania Railroad, every Saturday and Sunday. All trains except Congressional Limited.

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If you know the economy of our weekly sales of Remnants you'll come after reading news below. If you don't know, you'd better come and learn why every Friday (Remnant Day) finds the store crowded.

All Floors.

Big Sale New Novelties In Our Third Floor REMNANT SECTION

These are termed "mill ends"—and the newest printings known to wash goods makers. The savings on these "mill ends" are well worth investigation.

49c Flowered Nets, 29c	25c Spotted Flo-hair, 16c	25c White Pique, 12½c	12½c Dotted Swiss, 9½c
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All on white ground with a different colored flowered effects, such as pink, blue, yellow, and lavender. Floral designs are full or half blown effects. 29c yard.

A new spring fabric made to imitate wool mohair. Neat designs on solid colors. White, navy blue, brown, black, and linen. Waist to full dress lengths. A yard, 16c.

Choice of 2-style cords, with welt lengthwise. It's an excellent fabric for skirts or suits. A yard, 12½c.

Dotted Swiss is to be much in evidence this summer. These are figured White and Colored Dotted Swisses, in neat patterns, some black-and-white floral and striped effects included. 9½c.

18c India Linon, 12½c	12c Flowered Batiste, 7½c	25c Shimmer Zephyr Ginghams, 15c	12c Windsor Percales, 9½c
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Sheer White India Linon, in lengths suitable for making waists or full dresses. Specially priced at 12½c yard.

Organic Flowered Batiste in pretty Dolly Varden styles, and exceptionally good for underlining net waists or dresses. A yard, 7½c.

Shimmer Zephyr Ginghams, in neat effects on grounds of gray, blue, pink, linen, green, etc., intermingled with pretty brilliant effects. 15c yard.

Colors are mostly navy blue, wine and silver gray, and in patterns that are pretty and much admired. 9½c yard.

Silk Remnants—Extra Good

Think of having 4,750 yards of silks in remnant lengths as the result of our big silk sale. Shows that our efforts in value-giving are appreciated.

Lot 1 Consists of 3,500 yards of various kinds of silks such as Printed, Satin, Foulards, Plain Colored Taffetas—Plain Peau de Cygne—Plain Habutai—Facones, Taffetas—Washable Japs. All good lengths. Worth up to 65c a yard. Remnant price a yard..... 25c	Lot 2 400 yards of Plain Tus-sah Pongee, full 36 inches wide. Many lengths alike which permits selecting enough material for an entire gown. Regular 50c quality. Remnant lengths at a yard..... 39c	Lot 3 650 yards of Fine Crepe de Chine, 34 inches wide wide—27-inch All-silk Colored Taffetas—30-inch All-silk Pongee. Full assortment of colors and excellent lengths. Worth 60c, 75c, and 80c a yard. Remnant lengths, at a yard..... 49c
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First Floor—Bargain Tables.

Check Dress Goods

In Remnant Lengths, **19c**
a Yard

These will be found in our Remnant Section—third floor.

The lot is not a large one, and in view of the popularity of checked fabrics for spring, will doubtless have a host of buyers tomorrow.

Choice of six size checks in black and white effects. All are 36 inches wide. Lengths that can be used for almost any purpose—making separate waists or skirts—and in some instances enough for entire costumes. Tomorrow's remnant price, a yard, is 19c.

Best of Bargains in Ribbon Remnants

Short lengths that we must get rid of. They are kinds most women want.

7c for 3-inch Plain Taffeta Ribbons in many colors and lengths.

9c for 3½ and 4-inch Plain Taffeta Ribbons in lengths and colors that are desirable.

12c for 4½-inch Plain Taffeta Ribbons in pretty colors and useful lengths.

14c for 5 and 6-inch Plain and Fancy Ribbons in a multitude of colors.

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High-Grade Linings

Price usually paid for ordinary kinds. These lengths have accumulated after a busy week's selling of Linings. They consist of Velours—Sateens and Peralines in black and colors. Lengths useful for any lining purpose. Worth double a yard. First Floor.

12½c

"Hurt" Copyright Books at 25c

Published to sell at \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50

Where these books were kept a pipe leaked and before it was noticeable a number of recent copyrights got wet. Fortunately this does not in any way spoil the book for reading purposes.

Such popular and recent titles as "Wings of the Morning," by Tracy; "The Gray Cloak," by Howard McGeach; "Call of the Wild," by Jack London; "The Ives," Robert Louis Stevenson; "House of Egremont," by M. E. Sewell; "Adventures of Captain Horn," by Frank Stockton and many others.

Choice on bargain tables. Third Floor—Book Dept.

25c and 50c Quire Paper, 5c

Writing paper at a fractional price tomorrow because they are odds and ends.

These are shown in white and colors. Fashionable shapes. To close, a quire, 5c.

Envelopes to match at a pack, 5c.

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Trimmings at 2c Yard

A lot of Gumples, mostly in silk effects and in plain colors of black, brown, white, and combinations with a glitter of gold.

These are just the trimmings for children's dresses—giving just the required finish.

2c a yard is all that is asked tomorrow.

First floor—Bargain Tables.